FINDS ANCIENT "PIPE SHRINE"

Dr. Fewkes Uncovers Ceremonial Temple on the Plains of Colorado.

FILLED WITH TOBACCO PIPES

What Were Supposed to Be Mounds Are Found to Be in Reality Mouldering Heaps of Fallen Houses and Temples.

Washington .- Dr. J. Walter Fewkes, chief of the bureau of American ethnology, Smithsonian institution, who returned recently from archaeological field work on the Mesa Verde national park, Colorado, reports the unexpected unearthing of a prehistoric ruin to which he has given the name "Pipe Shrine House." The name is the result of a large number of tobacco pipes found scattered in a circular shrine just as they had been thrown there during ceremonial rites untold centuries

Mesa Verde park was reserved from settlement some years ago by congress on account of the numerous cliff dwellings in its canyon, but later it was discovered that there were as many pueblos on the open top of the mesa as in the cliffs. These have fared badly from the elements, on account of exposure, and are now reduced to mounds without walls above ground.

Find Ancient Building. For some years Doctor Fewkes has been active in unearthing and clearing out these souvenirs, and it has been through his efforts, mainly, that the ruins have been preserved. Excavat ing several of the mounds that were taken to be natural formations, it was found that they were in reality the moldering heaps of fallen houses and temples.

Last May Doctor Fewkes undertook excavation of a mound in the neighborhood of what is known to many motor tourists as Mummy lake. The results of his excavations were inter-

Out of the mound emerged a rectangular building, 70 feet square and one story high, accurately oriented to the cardinal points of the compass, with a circular tower formerly 15 to 20 feet high, like a church steeple, midway in the western wall. This tower is supposed to have been for observation. and, as it is very important for an agricultural people to determine the seasons of the year, it was probably by watching the sun as it rose or set that they determined the time for

A Ceremonial Lodge.

In the middle of this building was found a circular room 20 feet deep and about the same in diameter, in which were found more than a dozen clay pipes, numerous stone knives, pottery, idols and other objects. Pipes of this kind never have been found on the Mesa Verde, and as all indications point to the belief that after the rite of smoking they were thrown into the shrine, the ruins were called Pipe Shrine house

A few feet south of the building, which was not a habitation, but special ized for ceremonies, there is a square room or shrine dedicated to the mountain lion, a stone image of which was found surrounded by water-worn and other strangely formed stones. A simflar shrine is found on the northeast corner of Pipe Shrine house, in which, among other objects, was a small iron meteorite and a slab of stone on which is depicted a symbol of the sun.

The cemeteries of the pueblos of the Mesa Verde are situated near their southeast corner, and, while the burials In them have as a rule been removed by vandals, several interments were found near Pipe Shrine house. One of these was left without moving a single bone and an inclosure with a weatherproof roof was erected over it, so that visitor can view a skeleton more than 500 years old with food bowls and other pieces of pottery just as they were when left by relatives.

This is said to be the first time care has been taken to preserve for inspection a pre-Columbian skeleton of an Indian in his own cemetery.

PATENTS WOMAN'S AUTO HAT

London Inventor Designs Helmet to Protect Hair From Wind and Rain.

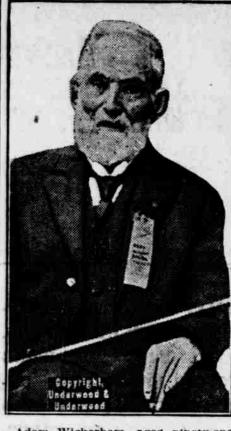
London.-A motoring hat for women has just been invented and patented. which is claimed to protect women's hair from the effects of wind and rain.

It is designed on the lines of a man's flying belmet, is made of silk and fitted with a slik hood over the back, and small pads over the ears. The hood and pads are detachable and it is claimed the wearer can finish a long motor tour looking and feeling perfectly tidy and without a headache.

Pigeon Stops Up Flue.

Pottsville, Pa.-A fluttering homing pigeon nearly caused the death of Charles Meyers and his entire family. Mr. Meyers, who is city assessor and a newspaper publisher, was awakened by his wife, who was suffering from inhalation of gas, which had also affected the members of the family. Investigation showed that the chimney was blocked by a pigeon that had fallen down the flue, its wings being spread upward, blocking the draught.

Dr. Earl Stevenson was called and
revived the victime. LAST OF RINGGOLD CAVALRY



Adam Wickerham, aged ninety-one, of Monongahela, Pa., is the only survivor of the original Ringgold cavalry battalion, the first volunteer mounted troops mustered into the United States service at the opening of the Civil war. The famous troop was mustered in on June 6. 1861, ten days ahead of any other cavalry unit in the country. Before entering the United States service it was known as the Ringgold cavalry, then it became Company A, Twentysecond Volunteer Pennsylvania cavalry. Mr. Wickerham's grandson, Lieut. Harold Wickerham of Company A. One Hundred and Tenth United States infantry, received the D. S. C. for bravery on the battlefields of France. He dled after returning home as the result of overseas service.

Cat Failing to Appreciate Sermon Takes Refuge in Organ and Interrupts Good Discourse.

Danville, Pa.-Rev. A. E. Mackle of ject was, "The Least in the Kingdom." "And, brothers and sisters, I say drowned by an unholy M-E-O-W that

seemed to issue from the pipe organ. Rev. Mr. Mackle paused, mopped his return. brow, then proceeded, A few minutes

dismiss the congregation." The organist put all the wind at her command in that note.

With a frightened howl a cat scampered out of the organ and jumped through the nearest window.

"And, my brothers and sisters, I say unto you-" Rev. Mr. Mackle

ENGLISH LADS FLOCK TO ETON

College Raises Requirements but Has Record Waiting List-Enter Names When Born.

London.-Eton college will open this year with 1,139 pupils, the largest number which has been allowed to attend at one time. Last term 1,124 pupils were enrolled, which is nearly double the number allowed in pre-war

During the last ten years the numbers applying for admittance to Eton have been so great that the faculty took steps to increase the entrance requirements and the cost of tuition, but these measures failed to bring about the desired results. The college still has a long waiting list of applicants. The practice is to enter a boy as soon as he is born, to make sure of his gaining admittance at the qualifying age.

BIRTHS DROP OFF IN GERMANY

Figures for First Quarter of 1922 Show Decrease; Death Rate Is Higher.

Berlin.-The number of marriages and births in Germany for the first quarter of 1922 show a large decrease over the same period for 1921.

According to statistics just issued, the number of marriages during these three months was 8.4 per thousand persons, as against 10.4 for last year, The number of births was 25.6, as compared to 27.7, and the number of deaths

was 18.5, as against 15.6 in 1921. The corresponding quarter for the year 1913 showed marriages were 6.2. births 28.8 and deaths 16.8.

Sawed Off Limb He Sat On, but Will Recover

According to a report on file at police headquarters in Detroit, Mich., the man who climbed out on the limb of a tree and sawed the limb off behind him is not a cartoonist's joke but a reality. Harry Kull, twenty-oneyear-old employee of the department of parks, is in a hospital as the result of sawing off a limb while sitting on it. The injuries he suffered in the fall are not

Of Interest to Paris Readers

For months Paris citizens have seen in these columns enthusiastic praise of Doan's Kidney Pills by Paris residents. Would these prominent people recommend a remedy that had not proven reliable? Would they confirm their statements after years had elapsed if personal experience had not shown the remedy to be worthy of endorsement? The following statement should carry conviction to the mind of every Paris reader.

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LICENSE TO SAVE VEHICLES

How to get good roads and provide for their upkeep is a problem that is attracting more attention in Kentucky than ever before and many solutions are being proposed TABBY ROUTED BY BASS NOTE and discussed. In this connection a rural newspaper advances a rather unique argument that is sure to provoke discussion.

The paper takes the position that eventually some plan may be evolved by which the principle of the St. Paul's M. E. church was deliver- dancer paying the fiddler will be ing a mighty good sermon. He was applied to road building and mainworking toward the climax. The sub- tenance. The point is made that the users of the highways ought to pay for constructing and keeping unto you-" he thundered, but what them up in proportion to the use of he had to say unto the brethren was them but it is admitted that the tollgate system is obsolete and that the people never would stand for its

To obviate the tollgates as a Then the reverend speaker announced: that a system of licensing vehicles could be devised, that would meet all requirements for raising a road The threat had no effect. But the fund and that it could be fairly and organist had better effect when she equitably imposed. Such a plan it sounded the deepest bass note of the is argued would place the burden of organ. It was fortissimo all right, road taxation upon those that use is planned to erect the memorial in and benefit by them.

The claim is further advanced that such a plan would be decided economic advantage to the owners of vehicles using the roads in that with such a system providing good roads a great saving would result in the wear and tear of vehicles that necessarily result from traveling over poor highways. The saving in this way, it is pointed out fould many times compensate for the nominal road-using impost.

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BLOODHOUNDS NOT INFALIBLE

Some years ago Kentucky went in for bloodhounds as an adjunct to the criminal machinery and several counties maintain packs of dogs at public expense for use in tracking criminals and suspects. Several private packs in various parts of the State are requisitioned often also in the hunt for fugitives and others suspected of crimes.

Whener bloodhounds are of any real value in a man-hunt is a con- Jno. W. Yerkes, Ass't Cashier troversial subject. Many persons Dan Peed, Jr., Bookkeeper... challenge any accomplishments of the dogs in running down criminals. Many plausible alibis can be offered for failure of the bloodhounds take the trail after being put on the scent. Stories are told of dogs baffled by cayenne pepper sprinkled by fugitives or how dogs lost the trail when runaways took to

For twenty years the Lexington owner of a pack of bloodhounds has taken his dogs to every part of Kentucky and even to other States to engage in man-hunts. While many regard bloodhound detection as a myth, others hold to the efficacy of what was an institution in the days of slavery.

KENTUCKY PROLIFIC OF NEW CAVES

Reports of the finding in Jessamine county of the opening to a large cave long lost sight of, adds another to the list of Kentucky caverns lately discovered. The Jessamine county cave is associated with the legend that it was once used as a refuge by Daniel Boone in making his escape from a band of hostile redskins. Whether this be true or not, it will be accepted by the less credulous as strengthening the belief that the noted pioneer hardly could have been at all places he is claimed to have visited during his career if he had been equipped with an airplane.

The frequent discovery of new caverns in Kentucky gives rise to the belief that the State may be underlaid by many more that rival in dimensions and attractions those already discovered and explored. In the last few months several new caves have been found in the mountain section. Another was discovered in the vicinity of Danville, which when explored was said to have contained a subterranean lake that impeded further progress.

The mountain section abounds in smaller caverns. One reason assigned for the existence of these smaller caves just becoming known is that they were used by "moonshiners" as a "rendezvous" in ante-prohibition days and their location kept an inviolable secret. Now that "moonshining" is regarded as less hazardous and detection more remote, the caves are no longer necessary to conceal ,'moonshine" operations and their existence is becoming known.

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BETTER LATE THAN NEVER

That Kentuckians sometimes are negligent in according posthumous honors is shown by the movement started at Lexington to erect a later, just as the parson was getting means of collecting revenue from memorial to commemorate John warmed up, the howl was heard again. the highway users, it is suggested Bradford, editor and publisher of the Kentucky Gazette, that first oppeared 135 years ago.

The State press is interested in the movement to honor the pioneer editor, who wielded wide influence in the early days of the State. It a public place in Lexington. in whose early history the Gazette was a potent factor.

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